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Entity : Large

Enclosed herewith please find the following documents in the above-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

- ☒ **X** Print EFS Data Sheet
- ☒ **62** Pages of Specification including Abstract and Claims
- ☒ **30** Numbered Claims Calculated as 30 Claims for Fee Purposes
- ☒ **14** Sheets of Drawing Containing **Figures 1 to 14.** (Formal)
- ☒ **X** Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ **X** Priority is Claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 or 35 U.S.C. §120:  
**Japanese Patent Application No. 2003-049416 filed February 26, 2003**  
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- ☒ **X** Certified Priority Applications (2)
- ☒ **X** Assignment
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